

with the amendment, will be to allow the Department to have reduced standards in some instances where they are now dustless surface and where there is not traffic to justify the normal standards that are otherwise required.

PRESIDENT: We're discussing the committee amendments. Senator Stahmer, do you want to be heard on the committee amendments?

SENATOR STAHMER: Mr. President, just a point of clarification from Senator Warner. In other words, this would only apply to the non-hard surface roads and, for instance, if they were to be blacktopped or anything, this would not apply then. I mean we wouldn't be setting aside standards in that case. It only applies to those roads that are and/or will remain unhard surface.

SENATOR WARNER: In all probability, the only standard that would be affected is on width and on some of these roads that we talked about, as I recall 24-foot hard surface width instead of a 26 and that is only in, on these roads which have very low volume traffic.

PRESIDENT: Any further discussion of the committee amendments? Question is shall the committee amendments be adopted. All those in favor say aye. Those opposed say no. It is so ordered, the committee amendments are adopted then. Senator Warner.

SENATOR WARNER: I move the bill be advanced as amended.

PRESIDENT: Is there any further discussion of the bill?

SENATOR WARNER: The amendment is now the bill.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Once again, any further discussion of the bill. Question is shall L.B. 324 as amended be advanced from general file to E&R initial. All those in favor will vote aye. All those opposed will vote no. Once again, have you all voted? Clerk will record.

CLERK: 27 ayes, no nays, 22 not voting.

PRESIDENT: The bill is advanced. We will move on to L.B. 346. Senator Kennedy's bill. Senator Goodrich, you going to handle that?

SENATOR GOODRICH: Yes.

CLERK: Legislative Bill 346. Introduced by Senator Kennedy, of the 21st district (read). There are no committee amendments.

SENATOR GOODRICH: Mr. President and Members of the body. Since Senator Kennedy isn't here, I was just volunteering to take this for him. It's a very minor bill. What it boils down to though, is the new wording says, in essence, the same thing that the old wording said but in the, on the Federal level they've had a change of personnel and the new man wanted this specific wording. It says and provides exactly what the old wording said but in a way that he would, it would be acceptable to him. I would move the bill be advanced to E&R initial.

PRESIDENT: Any further dis--any further discussion of the bill? Question is shall L.B. 346 be advanced from general file to E&R initial? All those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote no. Have you all voted? Thank you. Clerk will record.

CLERK: 26 ayes, no nays, 23 not voting.

PRESIDENT: Bill is advanced. This brings up the general file consideration of L.B. 463. Senator Whitney's bill.